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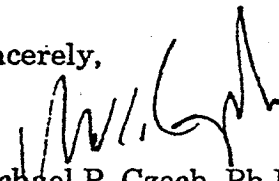
Dear Dr. McAllister:

I am writing to inquire whether you would support a one day Symposium on ~~Biochemical Endocrinology and Signal Transduction~~ to be held in ~~Memphis~~ on ~~October 17, 1994~~. I enclose a list of speakers and topics which include the molecular basis of insulin action,  $\alpha$ -adrenergic signal transduction, and regulation of protein kinase cascades. This Symposium will coincide with the 60th birthday of Dr. John N. Fain, Chairman of the Biochemistry Department at the University of Tennessee Health Sciences Center. As you know, John has contributed much to biochemical endocrinology over the past 30 years, and will be honored at this event. Although this will be a regional symposium, we anticipate many scientists will be attending. I believe this will be an excellent opportunity to foster state-of-the-art information exchange at the cutting edge of this very fast moving field.

I am hoping your organization might be able to contribute \$500 to support this Symposium. Speakers and participants are donating their time and no honoraria will be offered. I very much appreciate your past support. If support can be provided, please send to me a check payable to: Biochemical Endocrinology Symposium.

Very best regards.

Sincerely,

  
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Enclosure